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DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Name of Proposal: NORTHWEST PULP AND PAPER - GRASS CARP - MILL POND AT

CHALACHIE

Description of Proposal: Plant triploid (sterile) grass carp into a mill pond at Chalachie, with no public access, to control aquatic vegetation. Future restocking may be necessary due to fish loss.

Proponent: Northwest Pulp and Paper Equipment Company, 29017 Northeast Healy Road, Amboy, Washington 98601

Location of Proposal, including street, if any: 29017 Northeast Healy Road, Amboy, Washington, Clark County; Section 12, Township 05 North, Range 03 East WM

Lead Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of the completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date of issue below. Comments must be submitted by: **April 3, 2001**

Responsible Official: Peter Birch

Position/Title: Environmental Services Division Manager

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DATE OF ISSUE: March 20, 2001 SIGNATURE: _______ for Peter Birch

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